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SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY.

Professor Crookes Talks of Brain Waves.
HE ENTERTAINS A BRITISH SOCIETY WITH A LECTURE UPON THE SUBJECT—THE PRINCE OF WALES WILL VISIT MR. BAYARD—A CLAIM THAT PHOTOGRAPHY IN COLORS HAS ACTUALLY BEEN PERFECTED.

London, Jan. 30.—The latest discovery or theory in science is that of brain waves, so at least it is described in the presidential address delivered to the British Society of Psychical Research by Prof. Wm. Crookes. He entered upon an elaborate calculation as to the vibrations which produce sound and light. Then he applied a similar law to the subject of thought transference, and suggested that it was quite conceivable that intense thought concentrated by one person upon another with whom he was in close sympathy should induce a telepathetic chain, along which brain waves could go straight to their goal without loss of energy due to distance.

Such a speculation was, he admitted, new and strange to science. It was at present strictly provisional, but he was bold enough to make it, and the time might come when it could be submitted to experimental tests.

The Professor spoke of the work which is being done by the society as likely to form no unworthy preface to the profounder science of man, of nature and of the world not realized than we yet had, and said he could see no reason why any man of scientific mind should shut his eyes to or start deliberately aloof from it. He endeavored, in a long argument, to clear away the scientific superstitions which prevent many from venturing into researches which might in time dominate the whole world of thought.

It is difficult, if not impossible, to discover the truth among the mass of conflicting reports in regard to the health of the czar. It is a matter of some significance that nearly all pessimist reports come from St. Petersburg, via Vienna, while the official announcement affirm that the czar is in best of health.

No day now passes which does not add to the evidence of how great a man is the American ambassador. His engagements for the next few weeks are limited only by his inclination to accept invitations. He is already booked to speak at Harrow, at Sheffield, at the Mansion House, at the Washington birthday dinner, and at other places. Next Wednesday he will entertain at his own table twenty-six gentlemen who, from an English point of view, include the most eminent individuals in the land. The Prince of Wales will, for the first time, honor an American envoy. In fact, it begins to appear that the foremost men of British empire propose to indicate to the unappreciative authorities at Washington that, in their opinion, at all events, Ambassador Bayard is a bigger man than his titular superiors.

Frenchmen, or a large section of them, are beginning to manifest serious concern over the revelation of the last census that France is the only great nation which no longer is obeying the Divine command to increase and multiply. The subject has been taken vigorously in hand by public men, and various plans have already been suggested for making Frenchmen amenable to compulsory fatherhood. It has been pointed out that by reason of her shortcomings in this respect, France loses every year a battle of Sedan. The national alliance for the increase of population of France has this week presented a petition to the prime minister setting forth certain drastic measures which the government is urged to adopt. Dr. Bertillon, the inventor of the system of measuring criminals, is the head of the society, and its plans include some interesting features. It proposes that government scholarships in schools and academies be given only to families having at least three children living. All favors of the government, such as cabaretier's licenses, etc., shall be given such families. When the claims of government officials for promotion are decided, the number of their children should be taken into account. Allowances and travelling expenses to officials, as well as salaries of such, shall be regulated according to the number of their children. Posts under the government, except those requiring special qualifications, shall be given only to fathers having more than three children. Already something has been done in this direction. Every seventh child may be educated and boarded at school at the expense of the nation. This law was passed some years ago, but no results are apparent.

portrait the flesh tints come out well, and the different colors of costumes are accurately given. The general appearance of the picture is that of a colored photograph. Looked at from a distance it would be taken for one. Inspected under magnifying power it is seen that the colors follow details in a manner hardly possible for hand work.

MR. ROBERTS DEAD.
Death of the President of the Pennsylvania Railroad.
Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 30.—George B. Roberts, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, died at his residence in this city at 4:30 o'clock this evening.

IS SHE ALIVE?
Bradley Receives a Letter Signed "Pearl Bryan."

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 30.—Governor Bradley received the following letter to-day:
"Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 20.
"Sir: It would be injustice to hang Scott Jackson and Walling on my account, for I am alive and well and my parents will never be able to find me.
"Respectfully, PEARL BRYAN.
"P. S.—I leave here this afternoon."
The Governor has received numerous letters threatening him with punishment if he does not pardon or commute the sentence of Jackson and Walling. Other letters say he will meet with a terrible fate if he shows mercy.

A CONVENTION SIGNED.
To Settle Boundary Dispute Between Canada and Alaska.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Secretary Olney and the British Ambassador at the State Department at 11 o'clock to-day signed "a convention between the United States and Great Britain for the demarcation of so much of 141st meridian as may be necessary for the determination of the boundary between the respective powers in North America." The Secretary will send this to the Senate on Monday for ratification. It provides for a commission similar to the Mexican boundary commission.

This treaty is to define the boundary between Alaska and the Dominion of Canada, and it is believed will settle the controversy over the location of gold fields in that territory.

DROPPED 40 DEGREES.
Mercury has dropped 40 degrees in the last twenty-four hours, so have prices on Buggy Robes at Farmers' Supply Company. Call and see. You need them this kind of weather.

A WAR ECHE.
Bill to Pay Confederate Officers For Side Arms, Etc.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Mr. Cox, of Texas, offered in the House to-day a bill which recites the circumstances of Lee's surrender at Appomattox and the written guarantee that artillery and cavalry officers of the Confederacy should be permitted to retain their horses, side arms and baggage. After the surrender the federal soldiers despoiled the Confederates of these effects and they were never returned to their original owners. His bill appropriates \$200,000 as a compensation for these losses upon satisfactory proof being furnished to the quartermaster-general.

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IN RECEIVER'S HANDS.
Action by the Court to Protect Depositors of a Chicago Bank.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Judge Froman to-day appointed Ralph Metcalf receiver for the Dime Savings Bank, requiring him to give bond for \$200,000. This action was taken upon a bill filed in the superior court by Geo. W. Reed, a stockholder in the concern.

There was no opposition, but on the contrary the directors came in court with a consent to the appointment.

The posting of the receivership notice on the door of the bank did not create any excitement on the street and the depositors who have been unable to get any of the money due them because of the enforcement of the 90-day notice were in a condition to receive the news as the only logical ending of the bank's embarrassment.

A BOOM IN STOCKINGS.
New Brunswick, N. J., Jan. 30.—The Norfolk and New Brunswick hosiery works, which have been closed for several months, will resume on Tuesday. Six hundred persons are employed when in operation.

THE NEBRASKA WAY.
Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 30.—The fusion majority in the lower house this afternoon after an all-day debate, remarkable at times for its bitterness, unseated the four Republican members from Douglas county and seated the fusion contestants.

MUNICIPAL CORRUPTION.

Indictment of Many City Officials of Louisville.

A NETWORK OF FRAUD EXISTED AMONG THE ALDERMEN AND CHIEF OF POLICE—GAMBLING DENIED OFFERED COMPLETE POLICE PROTECTION FOR A PERCENTAGE OF PROFITS—THE INDICTED MEN REPUBLICANS.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 30.—The grand jury to-day returned indictments against fourteen men in connection with the city government, including aldermen and police officers. Other indictments are expected. Those indicted are R. E. King, president of the board of aldermen; Alderman R. O. Breuer and J. E. Leatherman, whose indictment was ordered yesterday; Major Sebastian Gunther, assistant chief of police; Alderman John DeGarmo, Chas. Kramer, Jr., secretary of the board of public safety; Pat Ahern, Martin O'Donohue, Harry Debo, Wm. Kimball, James T. Drake, Alderman C. J. Jenne and Policemen Steve Connelly and Nick Varilla.

The indictment against Alderman DeGarmo charges him with obtaining money by false pretense for alleged influence. Henry Debo and Wm. Kimball were indicted for false swearing.

Major of Police Gunther and Policemen Connelly and Varilla are charged with malfeasance in office, in failing to suppress gaming.

James Drake, a contractor, and Aldermen Leatherman and Breuer will have to answer a joint indictment of conspiracy by engineering a contract through the board.

Chas. Kramer, Jr., Pat Ahern, Martin O'Donohue, Henry Debo and Wm. Kimball were indicted jointly on the charge of conspiracy to aid in a false prosecution in the name of the commonwealth against other persons.

The indictments against Aldermen King, Leather and Jenne charge them with offering complete police protection to a faro bank in consideration of one-third of net proceeds.

Warrants were issued for the arrest of the men, but by agreement they will not be served until Monday, as bond cannot be given on Sunday. The indicted aldermen are A. P. A. Republicans. All the others are Democrats, except Contractor James M. Drake, who was an A. P. A. leader.

A NAVAL DISASTER.
The Alliance Goes Ashore Below Norfolk.

Norfolk, Jan. 30.—The United States steamer Alliance went ashore at 9:30 o'clock to-night just inside the Virginia capes. The vessel was coming up to Hampton Roads when the accident occurred.

The Alliance at this hour lies easy and wrecking tugs have gone from Norfolk to pull her off. Apparently no damage has been sustained and none is apprehended.

It is important that your horse and cow be fed well this cold weather. The place to buy your feed is Farmers' Supply Company. They keep Hay, Shucks, Straw, Oats, Corn, and all kinds of chops.

GAGE DENIES.
He Repudiates the Statement That He is a Single Taxer.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Lyman J. Gage, the prospective Secretary of Treasury in President-elect McKinley's Cabinet, denies the story that he was a "single taxer."

"There is not the slightest foundation for the report that I am now or ever was a single tax man," said Mr. Gage, "and nothing that I have ever said or written on economic subjects should furnish the slightest grounds for such statement."

A BISHOP ENTHRONED.
London, Jan. 30.—The formal enthronement of the Right Rev. Mandell Creighton as bishop of London, to succeed the Right Rev. Frederick Temple, who was elevated to the archbishopric of Canterbury and primate of all England, took place in St. Paul's Cathedral to-day and, contrary to expectations, it was in no ways an imposing spectacle.

The cathedral was about half filled with spectators and there was a fair attendance of London clergy. The actual enthronement took place in the choir, out of sight of the majority of the people present.

THE TICKETS READY.
Washington, Jan. 30.—The inaugural ball tickets are now ready for distribution. Each ticket will be accompanied by a souvenir, which is exceedingly handsome and is included in the price of the ball ticket, \$5. Orders by mail will be filled in their order of receipt. No complimentary tickets will be issued, except to President-elect McKinley and Mrs. McKinley.

TO REPORT THE TREATY.

Unexpected Opposition Developed in the Committee.

BY THE CLOSE VOTE OF 6 TO 4 IT WAS DECIDED TO REPORT THE GENERAL ARBITRATION TREATY TO THE SENATE ON MONDAY—THE ALASKA BOUNDARY QUESTION WILL BE SUBMITTED TO ARBITRATION.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Every member of the Senate committee on foreign relations, with the exception of Mr. Turpie, was present this morning when the committee convened a few minutes before 11 o'clock. The session was devoted to consideration of the general treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain.

Members denied themselves to several reporters who came over from the House, and refused to be disturbed. At 10:30 o'clock a vote was taken and a favorable report was ordered made to the Senate next Monday, with certain additions reserved for submission to the Senate when the subject shall come up.

The most important addition was that which added at the end of article 1, the following words: "But no question which affects the foreign or domestic policy of either of the high contracting parties, or the relations of either with any other State or power, by treaty or otherwise, shall be subject to arbitration under this treaty except by a special agreement."

The second article strikes out all reference to his majesty, the king of Sweden and Norway, as the umpire in case the court fails to agree upon an umpire in accordance with provisions of article 3 and article 49. The motion to strike out this clause was carried with but one negative vote, that of Senator Gray, of Delaware.

The vote on the final motion to report the treaty to the Senate, as amended, was so close that it startled some of the friends of the treaty who thought there would be no opposition. When the roll was called the votes were cast as follows:

In favor of reporting the treaty to the Senate: Sherman, Davis, Frye, Lodge, Cullum, Republican; and Gray, Democrat; total, 6. Against reporting the treaty to the Senate: Morgan, Mills, Daniel, Democrats, and Cameron, Republican, total, 4.

An amendment was also offered, inserting a clause, stating in positive terms that the Alaska boundary question should not be submitted to arbitration under this treaty, but it was rejected by the same vote of 6 to 4. It will be offered in the Senate.

The debate developed an opposition to the treaty that was entirely unexpected, and if the minority of the committee represent a proportionate membership of the Senate, the indications are that the treaty will have a hard time securing the requisite two-thirds vote.

SEED DISTRIBUTION.
The agriculture appropriation bill was the principal and almost sole subject of consideration in the House to-day, this being the third day it has been on the parliamentary steaks. As usual, the distribution of seed gave rise to a discussion, which lasted two hours, and comprised the usual motion to strike out the appropriation altogether. This failed—39 to 30—Speaker Reed casting a vote in the affirmative, the first time in this Congress that he has exercised the privileges of an ordinary member.

An amendment was adopted authorizing the members to select the seeds they desire, the department of agriculture to purchase and distribute the same.

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OUR MINISTER'S INFLUENCE.
Madrid, Jan. 30.—The Epoca says that Gen. Azcarra, minister of war, has indicated in the course of conversation that an arrangement with the Cuban rebels looking to a cessation of hostilities in Cuba may possibly soon be reached.

The newspapers profess belief that the recent visit of United States Minister Taylor to the Duke of Tetuan, minister of foreign affairs, was an event of great importance in its bearing upon the situation in Cuba.

HAS NOT DECLINED.
Canton, Jan. 30.—Maj. McKinley said this morning he had not received a letter from General Goddard of West Virginia, declining a Cabinet position. No word has been received here from General Goddard since he left Canton. When he came to Canton last week at the request of Major McKinley, he took the matter of entering the Cabinet under consideration and there is at present no reason to think he has not or will not accept the position.

RACED FOR \$7,500.
Norfolk, Jan. 30.—Two picked crews from the flagship New York and the battleship Indiana raced for the championship of the navy and a \$7,500 purse in Hampton roads this afternoon over a five mile course. The New York's crew won by nine strokes or about four boat-lengths.

VERY NEAR VICTORY.
Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 30.—In the Senatorial contest to-day Thatcher gained nine votes, making his total 28, only three short of the number required to elect, two members being absent. The Thatcher men declare their candidate will be elected on Monday.

THE LESSON FOR TO-DAY.

The Boldness of Peter and John Accomplished Wonders.

THIS WICKED WORLD WITH ITS DEAD CHURCHES AND UNCONVERTED AND BACKSLIDEN PREACHERS, NO MORE UNDERSTANDS HOLY GHOST RELIGION THAN THEY DID ON THE DAY OF PENTECOST.

1. On the afternoon of the Pentecost, while Peter and John continue their preaching in Solomon's porch, encircled by a multitude much excited over the stupendous miracle of healing the cripple at the Beautiful Gate, the priest, the chief janitor of the Temple, and the Sadducees interrupt.

2. They can no longer stand the truth so powerfully preached by Peter and John, because it literally digs them up by the roots.

3. It is now late in the afternoon. So they arrest them and put them in prison over night.

4. The vast multitudes of Pentecost are in the city. The preaching which followed the falling of the Holy Ghost at 9 o'clock in the morning, has continued all day, and is attended with conviction, such as the world has never seen. Three thousand were converted in the morning, and now five thousand in the afternoon. Doubtless the other hundred and eighteen were preaching all this time. The multitude was so great they scattered out in all directions. Hence so many were converted. As Peter and John were the most prominent preachers, their notoriety especially enhanced by the miracle of healing, they thought to arrest the holiness movement by their incarceration in the jail.

5. The leading church officials, clerical and lay, assemble early the next morning (the day after Pentecost), to try Peter and John for preaching holiness. Remember Peter and John spent the very night following that wonderful Pentecost in the public jail. You all want the Pentecostal experience. You can have it, but would you take the persecutions which follow? This wicked world with its dead churches, and unconverted and backsliden preachers no more understand Holy Ghost religion, than they did on the day of Pentecost, when they imputed the whole affair to a drunken frolic. If they had the power they would this day put you in jail for professing and preaching sanctification.

6. When I was in Jerusalem in 1895, I visited the old judgment halls of Annas, the Roman high priest, and Caiaphas, the Jewish high priest, on Mt. Zion, where Peter and John were arraigned and tried for preaching heresy. The beloved editor of this paper is honored above his comrades in the Apostolical succession. When in Lexington, Ky., he is arraigned before the magistrates of Southern Methodism for doing precisely what Peter and John did in Solomon's porch. Dear Cousin Henry, I am old enough to be your father, but I now doff my diadem and go into eclipse. God has conferred on you an honor for which I am a candidate, but have not yet been found worthy. Your guardian angels, Peter and John, will bend over heaven's battlements to see that you get through all right. Fear not, my brother; learn a lesson of boldness from Peter and John.

7. You see here human authority in conflict with Divine. History repeats itself. The same thing is now going on with this brother and others who dare to be obedient to the heavenly mission. Here you see Peter and John arraigned and tried by a lot of blind preachers, who had taken the Church of God out of God's hands, and proposed to run it to suit their own carnal purposes. God gives us all the boldness of Peter and John.

8. Here Peter and John were full of the Holy Ghost, and more than a match for the devil's preachers. Satan's preachers through the world this day like the locusts of Egypt. God keep us filled with the Holy Ghost. Then like Peter and John we will be true as angels and bold as lions.

9. 10. Peter gives all the glory to Jesus. God help us to do so.

11. They rejected Jesus. The church officials now reject the Holy Ghost. It is the same, for the Holy Ghost is the Spirit of Jesus.

12. Jesus alone can save. Hence we should, like the apostles, follow Him

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